

government agents unrelated to this prosecution be utilized in overseeing the physical evidence review, and that they be prohibited from speaking with United States Attorneys regarding any observations of the Defense attorneys. This Court will not instruct federal law enforcement agencies on how to staff their evidence review. Further, the Defendant has not identified any binding case law suggesting that Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 16 contemplates “confidential discussions” between defense counsel. Rather, it speaks of “inspect and copy.” Additionally, the Government has agreed to permit the Defendant to bring a camera to the physical evidence review for purposes of taking additional photographs, which would permit “robust discussions” at a later date.

BY THE COURT:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Donetta W. Ambrose", written over a horizontal line.

Donetta W. Ambrose
United States Senior District Judge